

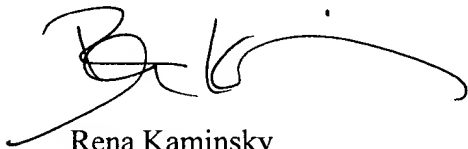
3 frequency coordinates of said linked salient points and said anchor point,
4 whereby said sample fingerprint is time-stretch invariant.

1 124. The method of claim 116 wherein said anchor salient point and said linked salient
2 points are selected from the group consisting of local maxima, local minima, and
3 zero crossings of said spectrogram.

REMARKS:

Support for the new claims is found on page 15, line 15 through page 19, line 28 of the original specification and Figs. 7A-7C. No new matter is being added.

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